WBAI FOLIO

99.5 FM

DECEMBER 1989

INSIDE

The Talking Violin - improvisatory blues and jazz on a "classical" instrument

Xmas eve homeless special

A reading series of American short stories

Behind the scenes of contemporary American music performance

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

Report to the Listener

After a long and arduous search, the Program Director Hiring Committee recommended Andrew Phillips as the person for the position. Effective November 13th, Andrew became our new Program Director. His name and work are familiar to many of our listeners. He has been at WBAI for over seven years and is currently the host of Investigations, heard every other Thursday evening at 10pm. As an independent radio producer, Andrew has worked for the Australian Broadcasting Company and the Canadian Broadcasting Company - and we look forward to working with him.

While we have cause to be excited about Andrew assuming his new position, we say a sad good-by to Valerie Van Isler, who was our Program Administrator while we searched for the last seven months to find a permanent PD. Valerie put in many hard hours - it was not unusual to come in at 9am, then find that she was still at work at midnight that same day. She is driven by her dedication and love for WBAI. Personally, I will miss her daily presence a great deal - her good, strong advice was always readily available and while I was in Southeast Asia this summer, I knew that Valerie was back home taking care of business at BAI. It was not only her competence that mattered, however - it was and is her warm and gentle heart, her loyalty and strength that I will miss, and so will the rest of the staff. She will of course remain with us as a producer, and hopefully, the future will hold good things for her at the station. Val (as many of us call her), we love you and thank you.

On a different note, we have once again received a $15,000 grant from the Scherman Foundation. This has enabled us to expand our physical space - we have acquired 1,000 more square feet in 505 8th Avenue. By moving some of our administrative offices into this space, we will have more room for studio development, program and producer space and a room for our vast archives, which are presently being stored (none too optimally) in a warehouse. There have been great improvements at the station over the last year, and this grant will help us continue this process.

In addition, the Pacifica Foundation has given us $73,000 to purchase a new transmitter. Work will begin soon to make our signal clearer and stronger, and we can finally remove the circle of magic dust that we placed around the old transmitter to protect it from harm!

1990 marks our 30th anniversary, and we have many special events and broadcasts being planned (which you will read more about in the January Folio). These events will be involving you, our subscribers, so be sure to read your January Folio.

Finally, we hope to see you at our Holiday Crafts Fair. As always, it will beautiful.

It is hard to believe that another decade has passed, but it has - and our only sensible choice is to look ahead and hope for the best.

Rosemarie Reed

W B A I S T A F F

ADMINISTRATION
General Manager
Rosemarie Reed
Program Director
Andrew Phillips
Assistant Manager
Nydia Flores
Operations Coordinator
Andy T. Wandzilak
Assistant Manager–Operations
Dan Finton
Operations Assistants
Max Schmid, Sidney Smith, Tom Whelan
Public Affairs Director
Mario Murillo
Arts Director
Bill Moore
Development
David Rothenberg
Bookkeeper
Lisa North
Subscriptions / Computing
Allen Markman
Receptionist
Fred Kuhn
Administrative Assistant
Dorothy Altman

NEWS
Editors: Amy Goodman, Jennie Bourne
Contributing Reporters: Deborah Begel, Jennie Bourne, Eric Corley, Paul DeRienzo, John Epstein, Tom Hamilton, Michael G. Haskins, Maria Hinojosa, David Isay, Jesse Keyes (Morning News Editor), Robert Knight, Andy Lanset, Ron Stetler, Laura Sydell, Annette Walker, Judith Walker, Eric Williams.

AFTER THE NEWS
Economics: Bill Tabb. Econonews. Maarten DeKadt, Richard Schrader.
International Affairs: Samori Marksman.
Labor and Community Issues. Ken Nash and Mimi Rosenberg. Psychology of Economics: Leo Cawley. Science/Peace: Michio Kaku.

LIVE RADIO
Margot Adler, Creative Unity Collective, Bob Fass, Mike Feder, Jim Freund, Paul Gorman, Fred Herschkowitz, Citizen Kafka, Robert Knight, Simon Loekle, R. Paul Martin, Rosemari Mealy, David Rothenberg, Habte Selassie, Sidney Smith, Carletta J. Walker, Bernard White, Will K. Wilkins, Peter Lamborn Wilson.

PUBLIC AFFAIRS
Eva Yaa Asantewaa, Phyllis Bennis, Jennifer Bernet, Dennis Bernstein, Lydia Bragger, Elombe Brath, Jim Buck, Dave Burstein, Andrew Byard, Leo Cawley, Kal Crooks, Lloyd D'Aguilar, Martin DeKadt, Mick Dewan, Jerry Edwin, Bob Eng, Anne Frost, Barbara Glickstein, Ken Grossinger, Larry Gutenberg, Brett Harvey, Janet Hedman, Allen Herschkowitz, Susan Heske, Paul Hoeffel, Stuart Hutchison, Brandon Judell, Michio Kaku, Judith Kallas, Kamado, Hank Kee, Jesse Keyes, Joe King, Alice Krakauer, Julie Light, John McDonagh, Diane Mancino, Samori Marksman, Diana Mason, John Mason, David Mendelsohn, Santiago Nieves, Sally O'Brien, Kofi Pendergrass, Andrew Phillips, Valecia Phillips, Susan Radosh, Rosemarie Reed, Sheila Ryan, Richard Schrader, Scott Sommer, William Tabb, Paule Tedesco, Valerie Van Isler, Ralph Vega, Jr., Shelton Walden, Annette Walker, Carletta J. Walker, Tom Whelan, Tom Wisker, Robert Yuan.

ARTS
Jan Albert, Hernando Alvaricci, Al Angeloro, Roxanne Aubrey, Alina Avila, Jennifer Bernet, Sue Renee Berstein, Rodney Black, Peter Bochan, Ted Bonnitt, Dolores Brandon, Susan Browne, Bill Canaday, Boris Cardenas, Doug Cheesman, Anthony Coggi, Bill Farrar, Phil Garfinkle, Frederick GeoBold, Charlie Gilbert, Sharon Griffiths, Edward Haber, Rick Harris, Joseph Hurley, Mahmoud Ibrahim, Chet Jackson,, Kristen Johnson, Dave Kenney, Manya, Yusef Lamont, Julie Lyonn Lieberman, Simon Loekle, Lee Lowenfish, Harold Lucious, Michael Mabern, Darrell McNeill, Rosemari Mealy, Mickey Melendez, Edward Menje, Susan Menje, Bill Moore, Lance Neal, Mike Nelson, David Nolan, Mildred Norman, Gary Olson, Kofi Pendergrass, Clare Pentecost, Valecia Phillips, Tom Pomposello, Pat Rich, Nancy Rodriguez, Lee Ryan, Michael Scarola, Don Scherdin, Max Schmid, Anthony Sloan, Regina Fiorito Sokol, Victoria Starr, Dan Tepper, Tom Tortorella, Jordyn Tyson, Tom Vitale, Joyce West, Christ Whent, Brandon Whitney, Malika Lee Whitney.

ENGINEERS
Jennifer Bernet, Natalie Budelis, Daniel Finton, Ulysses T. Good, R. Paul Martin, Bob Parrett, Kofi Pendergrass (Production Engineer), Anthony Sloan, David Smith, Peter Cedric Smith, Tom Tortorella, Bill Wells (Chief Engineer), Paul Williams, Paul Wunder.

WBAI Local Board
Dorothy Altman (staff representative) Samuel Anderson, Leslie Cagan, Oymin Chin, Theodore Conant, Miriam Dinerman, Renee Farmer, Kathy Goldman, Bray Healy, Anthony Mazzocchi, Cecelia McCall, Rosemarl Mealy, Philip Tajitsu Nash, Steve Post, Charles Potter, Caryl Ratner, Paul Robeson, Jr., Nan Rubin, Eugene Straus, Valerie Van Isler (staff representative), Marjorie Waxman, Milton Zisman.

WBAI FOLIO
Editor
Sharon Griffiths

Filmmakers Emile De Antonio (above) and Lionel Rogosin are interviewed by Stuart Hutchison on Friday, December 1st at 1pm.

FRIDAY December 1

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Will K. Wilkins.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 CRAFT CONVERSATIONS. Rick Harris previews the WBAI Holiday Crafts Fair, one of the most exciting crafts expositions in America, with Matt Alperin, director of the Fair.

9:35 THIRD WORLD MUSIC MASTERS. Producer Richard B. Isles interviews Jon Faddis and plays his music.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition issues with Gary Null.

1:00 LIONEL ROGOSIN AND EMILE DE ANTONIO: LEFT WING FILMMAKERS. Rogosin and de Antonio were pioneers in the "New American Cinema" movement in the 1950s, where artists mixed politics and a "liberation esthetic" in film. This special will cover everything from Pull My Daisy (with Jack Kerouac's narrative), to Rogosin's Come Back, Africa, the first internationally distributed anti-apartheid film which also introduced Miriam Makeba to the West, and de Antonio's In The Year of the Pig, Underground and his latest, Mr. Hoover and I. Both directors will be interviewed live in our studios by producer Stuart Hutchison.

2:30 UNDERCURRENTS COVERAGE with the WBAI Undercurrents team - Dennis Bernstein, Robert Knight, and Jessica Jiji.

3:30 MEDIUM HOT. International affairs with an emphasis on how the media presents the issues. Produced by Adele Oltman and Sheila Ryan.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with host Joseph Hurley, featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30, and The Screening Room at 5:30 with Paul Wunder and Joseph Hurley reviewing and discussing the latest films. **Today, Academy award-winning actress Patricia Neal is interviewed by Joseph Hurley about her current autobiography, As I Am.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 DATELINE NICARAGUA. The story behind the headlines - news and features direct from Managua. Produced by Julie Light.

7:00 AIDS IN FOCUS, a weekly magazine on the politics and culture of the AIDS pandemic, produced by Michael Alcalay.

7:15 FEARFUL SYMMETRY with Leo Cawley.

8:00 BEHIND THE SCREENS. Movie matters with Delores Hayes.

8:30 A MOVEABLE FEAST. Authors read and discuss their latest works with Tom Vitale. Tonight, Oscar Hijuelos reads from his novel, The Mambo Kings Play Songs of Love and talks about music, memory and Cuban-American culture.

DID YOU KNOW THAT... it takes an entire year's planning and work to produce each December's Holiday Crafts Fair? In fact, the initial work is done for the following year's event even before the conclusion of the current Fair (kind of like the Folio...)

9:00 HOME FRIES. Live radio, comedy, music and call-ins with Fred Herschkowitz.

10:30 BLACK ROCK COALITION

12:00 NIGHTFLYTE. Music with Kofi Pendergrass.

Oscar-winning acrtess Patricia Neal is interviewed by Joseph Hurley on the Friday Arts Magazine, December 1st at 4:30pm.

Jazz Trumpeter Jon Faddis is interviewed by producer R.B. Isles on Friday, December 1st at 9:30am.

3:00 MUSIC FROM THE CENTER OF THE EARTH with hosts Bill Wells and Gary Olson.

SATURDAY December 2

5:00 HOUR OF THE WOLF. Science fiction, fantasy, enchantment, and the imagination. Live radio with Jim Freund.

7:00 AS I PLEASE. "... for none of us can ever express the exact measure of his needs or thoughts or his sorrows; and human speech is like a cracked kettle on which we tap crude rhythms for bears to dance to, while we long to make music that will melt the stars."

8:30 ANY SATURDAY. Live radio with David Rothenberg.

10:30 LUNCHPAIL. Live radio with Paul Gorman.

12:30 PIPER IN THE MEADOW STRAYING. Folk music with Edward Haber.

2:00 COUNTRY MUSIC ALTERNATIVES. Bluegrass and traditional music with Tom Tortorella.

3:30 SLIPKNOT! Music with Spyder.

4:30 JAZZ SAMPLER with Bill Farrar.

6:00 HEAR AND NOW. New music with Cynthia Bell and Julie Lyonn Lieberman.

7:00 HOUSING NOTEBOOK with members of the Metropolitan Council on Housing.

8:00 WORLD DANCE PARTY. African, Caribbean and Afro-Cuban music, produced by Al Angeloro.

10:30 RADIO UNNAMEABLE. Live radio with Bob Fass.

1:00 LABBRISH. Live radio with Habte Selassie.

On June 2, 1987, Katya Komisaruk, a young peace activist, singly committed Plowshares action #23 - the first on the West Coast. Katya entered Vandenburg Airforce Base at night and found her way to the Navstar Global Positioning System complex. Upon entering the building, destroyed the system's extensive computer, damaged a large satellite dish and wrote her justifications on the computer and building walls: "International Law," "Nuremberg Principles," "Defense of Necessity." Katya then left the base, returned to San Francisco, reported her actions to Vandenberg officials and scheduled a press conference. The FBI arrested her that day and she was subsequently charged with two offenses totalling a maximum sentence of 20 years in a federal penitentiary and a $500,000 fine.

Katya was brought to trial in Los Angeles in November, 1987. One of the charges, sabotage, was dropped and Federal District Court Judge Rea granted a prosecution motion in limine - all with the direct intent of surpressing any information about American nuclear weapons capabilities and policies. Katya's defense, lead by prominent attorney Leonard Weinglass, alledged that Navstar is an integral part of a US-first, pre-emptive strike strategy, an illegal endeavor according to international law. International law, with its defenses of necessity (justification) and crime prevention, was intended to become the central pillar of the defense case. However, the prosecution and the federal judge strictly limited the presentation of evidence to the four elements necessary to prove destruction of government property - the remaining charge. Katya was not permitted to enter motive evidence or to present expert testimony. Although her defense contended that the Navstar computer, as an illegal entity, could not be considered property (one of the four elements of proof of destruction of government property), she was not allowed to present these arguments. The trial was brief, the conviction almost certain and the sentence harsh. Katya is now serving five years in a federal prison outside Spokane, WA. Her request for release pending appeal has been denied and she is now waiting for her case to be heard before the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals. **(Listen to "Call to Conscience", a documentary about Katya Komisaruk, on Sunday, December 3rd at 6:30pm.)**

SUNDAY December 3

5:00 SOUNDTRACK. Throughout the month of December, Soundtrack will be presenting the classic film music of Bernard Herrmann (1911-1975). Most of these recordings are being broadcast for the first time from CDs **not available from local record stores**. This morning, Obsession (1976). Produced by Paul Wunder.

7:00 MARTIN SOKOL'S THROUGH THE OPERA GLASS. Regina Fiorito Sokol, Executive Producer.

9:30 HERE OF A SUNDAY MORNING. Early music with Chris Whent.

11:30 HARD WORK. Live radio with Mike Feder.

1:00 CON SABOR LATINO. Issues and music from the Latino community, with hosts Mickey Melendez and Hernando Alvaricci.

5:30 LATINO JOURNAL. Producer Santiago Nieves focuses on the issues, concerns, and interests of the tri-state area's growing Latino community.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:30 CALL TO CONSCIENCE. A documentary about the Plowshares Community which focuses on the cases of Katya Komisaruk, Jean and Joe Gump and the Epiphany Plowshare group, featuring Martin Sheen, Studs Terkel and the music of John Hammond. Produced by Laura Sydell (see sidebar above).

7:30 OUTLOOKS: THE GAY AND LESBIAN COMMUNITY ON THE AIR. The East Village Gay Scene - is it different, separate, and/or setting trends for the community at large? Produced by the Gay end Lesbian Independent Broadcasters (G.L.I.B.).

8:30 EMANATIONS. Live radio with Bernard White.

10:30 THE GOLDEN AGE OF RADIO. Whether at war or at peace, Radio was there to lead us by our noses to do the right thing. Public service or propaganda, disguised as comedy or drama, the message came through loud and clear. Fibber McGee and Molly are tempted with black market meat, Ellery Queen tackles tolerance in "The Case of the Three Frogs," and James Cagney learns that there is "No Escape" from sale driving on Suspense. All this and more, produced by Max Schmid.

12:30 NEWS REBROADCAST

1:00 THE CREATIVE UNITY COLLECTIVE

3:00 EVERYTHING OLD IS NEW AGAIN. Music with Dave Kenney.

MONDAY December 4

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Rosemari Mealy.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 MUSIC FROM ALL THE AMERICAS. Guest hosts explore the music of the Americas.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition, with Gary Null.

1:00 CROSSROADS. A news magazine on multi-cultural issues with a focus on Third World concerns.

1:30 WHERE WE LIVE, a look at issues of domestic struggle generally ignored by mainstream media. Produced by Sally O'Brien.

2:30 FREE FORM RADIO. Music and poetry with Rosko.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with host, Lee Lowenfish - Beauty and the Beat, a radio stew of jazz and classics. Today's guest is Harvey Swartz, bassist and composer, who discusses his many gigs including his recent grant to work on compositions for big bands and bass. ****Please listen to The Art of Craft, an exploration of crafts as an artform, at 5:50pm.**

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 WORLD VIEW. International issues with Samori Marksman.

8:30 SEQUOYAH - NATIVE AMERICAN NEWS produced by Jim Buck.

9:00 GET RHYTHM! Music with Pat Rich.

10:00 AIDSTALK II. The Listeners' Handbook on Access to Services for People With AIDS, ARC or HIV-Positive Antibodies. Expert underground info on how to get help from Social Security, HRA and others. Includes expert witnesses, a panel of diagnosed questioners and open lines for listener-participation. Produced by Larry Gutenberg

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

Tune in to AIDSTALK II for a listeners' handbook on access to services for people with AIDS - Monday, December 4th at 10pm.

11:45 UNSTUCK IN TIME. Live radio with Margot Adler.

1:00 WALDEN'S POND. A show discussing animal rights, ecology, and spirituality. Hosted by Shelton Walden.

3:30 ON THE ROCKS. Music with Roxanne.

TUESDAY December 5

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Rosemari Mealy.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 THIRD WORLD GALLERY. Music with Chico Alvarez.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition with Gary Null.

1:00 THIS WAY OUT. An international magazine for and about the Lesbian and Gay community.

1:30 FRONTLINE: MIDDLE EAST produced by Phyllis Bennis.

2:30 NOMMO Mix with Executive Producer, Anthony Sloan.

3:00 NOMMO Radio with Andrew Byard.

4:00 NOMMO Misc. with Harold.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with Eva Yaa Asantewaa and Jennifer Bernet. ****Please listen to The Art of Craft, an exploration of crafts as an artform, at 5:50pm.**

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 ECONONEWS. Economic and cultural issues..

8:30 THE FIRING SQUAD PRESENTS: Target Audiences. This professional group of young actors presents a collection of their most popular scenes and monologues. Written by David Stamford and directed by Gary Heath, this production features Mary Criner, Theresa Della Valle, Elaine Faye, Jackson Heath, Michael Latshaw and David Stamford.

9:00 STOLEN MOMENTS. Jazz with Mahmoud Ibrahim.

10:00 THE WRITE STUFF - a program for writers and the people who read them, produced in association with the Writers Union, hosted by Brandon Judell.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 LATE NIGHT LIVE RADIO with Carletta J. Walker.

1:00 WEAPONRY. Military affairs and hardware with Tom Wisker.

DID YOU KNOW THAT... the 17 previous WBAI Holiday Crafts Fairs have raised over $1.3 million dollars for its sponsor, non-profit, listener supported WBAI-FM? (but we always seem to need more...)

3:30 PUNK AND HARDCORE. Music with Susan Browne.

WEDNESDAY December 6

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with a guest host.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 CRAFT CONVERSATIONS. Rick Harris reports on the 18th annual WBAI Holiday Crafts Fair, one of the most exciting crafts expositions in America, with Matt Alperin, director of the Fair.

9:35 GHOSTS IN THE MACHINE: WOMEN IN POP. The divas of pop, funk, punk, rap, reggae, and other good-for-your-soul styles, in music, scene reports, and interviews. With host Victoria Starr.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition with Gary Null.

1:00 POLLUTION SOLUTIONS. In this documentary series, The Other Americas Radio presents and looks into the key issues affecting our environment and efforts to save our planet.

1:30 THE POSITIVE MIND with Armand DiMele.

2:30 FREE FORM RADIO. Music and poetry with Rosko.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with Malika Lee Whitney. Featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30, selected shorts at 4:45pm, Pickney Place, a program of storytelling at 5:00, and interviews at 5:30. ****Please listen to The Art of Craft, an exploration of crafts as an artform, at 5:50pm.**

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 EXPLORATIONS. Science and peace issues with Michio Kaku.

8:30 THE CUTTING EDGE: BLACK NEWS AND VIEWS. Produced by Jesse Keyes.

9:00 SOUNDS OF BRAZIL. Mildred Norman continues with special recordings and guest interviews about Brazilian music.

10:00 THE PERSONAL COMPUTER SHOW. Host, Joe King. Co-hosts, Hank Kee, and David Burstein. Produced in cooperation with the New York Amateur Computer Club.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 EARTHWATCH. Live radio with Robert Knight.

1:30 CARRIER WAVE. Live radio with Sidney Smith.

3:30 OUT OF THE SHADOWS. Music with Don Scherdin.

THURSDAY December 7

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Will K. Wilkins.

Reknowned bassist Harvie Swartz is Lee Lowenfish's special guest on the WBAI Arts Magazine - Monday, December 4th at 4:30pm.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

9:30 SHOCKING BLUE. Music with Delphine Blue.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition with Gary Null.

1:00 GANDHI IN THE PARK PEARL HARBOR SPECIAL. WWI was the war to end all wars. WWII was the war to end all wars. The world was to consists of United Nations. Where are we now? Was the war justified? Does war work? Old questions we are forever asking. What did Gandhi say? How can we close the distance between nations and people - inside and out? Produced by William Borman.

1:30 LISTENERS' ACTION ON HOMELESSNESS AND HOUSING.

2:30 ALTERNATIVA LATINA. Brings you up to date on the reality of Latin America, with interviews, commentaries, the news and the music of the New Song Movement. Produced by Boris Cardenas and the Alternativa Latina Collective.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE. Lee Ryan, host. Featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30 and Frederick GeoBold's Lightshow. ****Please listen to The Art of Craft, an exploration of crafts as an artform, at 5:50pm.**

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 BUILDING BRIDGES. A special labor history report on Saul Mills, President of the Greater New York Industrial Council, CIO (1940-48). His tenure was marked by innovation and activism, especially in the fields of labor solidarity, political action, health and housing. His contributions will be discussed by Henry Foner, retired President of the Fur, Leather and Machine Workers Union and author of a forthcoming book on Saul Mills and Charles Claire, former Director of Brewery Organizing of the IBT and former staff officer of the Greater New York Industrial Council. Produced by Mimi Rosenberg and Ken Nash.

8:30 RADIO FREE EIREANN. A show on Ireland and the Irish Freedom struggle. Produced by Mick Dewan and John McDonagh.

9:00 THE TALKING VIOLIN. An trip through time with the violin, as it "sings" every style of music in the hands of creators, innovators and visionaries. Produced by Julie Lyonn Lieberman with Steve Rathe. Today, "The Blues Fiddle" focuses on Black blues fiddlers and their contributions to the violin as an improvisatory instrument.

10:00 AFRIKALEIDOSCOPE with Elombe Brath.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 LATE NIGHT LIVE RADIO with Citizen Kafka.

1:00 PRIMARY SOURCES. Live radio with interim host, Bob Fass.

3:30 LIVE AIR - or is it Dead Air? Anyway, music and live stuff with partners in crime David Nolan and Doug Cheesman.

FRIDAY December 8

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Will K. Wilkins.

WBAI Arts Magazine producer Joseph Hurley interviews another Oscar-winner, Shelley Winters, on Friday, December 8th at 4:30pm.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 CRAFT CONVERSATIONS. Rick Harris discusses the WBAI Holiday Crafts Fair, one of the most exciting crafts expositions in America, with Matt Alperin, director of the Fair.

9:35 STORMY MONDAY. Music with Carletta Joy Walker.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition issues with Gary Null.

1:00 SOUTH AFRICA NOW: THE RADIO EDITION. A radio newsmagazine on the events in Southern Africa, delving into the story behind the reports coming from South Africa and the Frontline states. This program defies the media ban/censorship imposed by the Apartheid regime. Produced by Globalvision Television and adapted for radio by Sally O'Brien.

1:30 HEALTHSTYLES. Violence in New York City: An Issue of Public Health. Violence has become one of the leading causes of death and injury in NYC and nationwide. This program explores violence as a public health issue, the contributing social forces and possible approaches to "curing" this problem. Hosted by Diane Mason of WBAI's Nursing and Health Resources Network.

2:30 UNDERCURRENTS COVERAGE with the WBAI Undercurrents team - Dennis Bernstein, Robert Knight, and Jessica Jiji.

3:30 FRIDAY AFTERNOON with Dennis Bernstein. The politics and poetry of struggle.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with host Joseph Hurley, featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30, and The Screening Room at 5:30 with Paul Wunder and Joseph Hurley reviewing and discussing the latest films. ****Please listen to The Art of Craft, an exploration of crafts as an artform, at 5:50pm.** Also, today: Academy award-winning actress Shelley Winters talks about her second autobiography, Shelley II - The Middle of My Century, with Joseph Hurley.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 DATELINE NICARAGUA. The story behind the headlines - news and features direct from Managua. Produced by Julie Light.

7:00 AIDS IN FOCUS, a weekly magazine on the politics and culture of the AIDS pandemic, produced by Michael Alcalay.

7:15 FEARFUL SYMMETRY with Leo Cawley.

8:00 WORKING TITLE. Readings produced by Alina Avila.

8:30 A MOVEABLE FEAST. Authors read and discuss their latest works with Tom Vitale. Tonight, Maxine Hong Kingston reads from her novel, Tripmaster Monkey, His Fake Book, and talks about the psychedelic experience of theatre and life in the 60s.

9:00 HOME FRIES. Live radio, comedy, music and call-ins with Fred Herschkowitz.

10:30 BLACK ROCK COALITION

12:00 NIGHTFLYTE. Music with Chet Jackson.

3:00 MUSIC FROM THE CENTER OF THE EARTH with hosts Bill Wells and Gary Olson.

SATURDAY December 9

5:00 HOUR OF THE WOLF. Science fiction, fantasy, enchantment, and the imagination. Live radio with Jim Freund.

7:00 AS I PLEASE. " for none of us can ever express the exact measure of his needs or thoughts or his sorrows, and human speech is like a cracked kettle on which we tap crude rhythms for

bears to dance to, while we long to make music that will melt the stars."

8:30 ANY SATURDAY. Live radio with David Rothenberg.

10:30 LUNCHPAIL. Live radio with Paul Gorman.

12:30 PIPER IN THE MEADOW STRAYING. Folk music with Edward Haber.

2:00 COUNTRY MUSIC ALTERNATIVES. Bluegrass and traditional music with Tom Tortorella.

3:30 UNSUNG HEROES. Music with Jordyn Tyson.

4:30 JAZZ SAMPLER with Bill Farrar.

6:00 HEAR AND NOW. New music with Cynthia Bell and Julie Lyonn Lieberman.

7:00 HOUSING NOTEBOOK with members of the Metropolitan Council on Housing.

8:00 WORLD DANCE PARTY. African, Caribbean and Afro-Cuban music, produced by Al Angeloro.

10:30 RADIO UNNAMEABLE. Live radio with Bob Fass.

1:00 LABBRISH. Live radio with Habte Selassie.

SUNDAY December 10

5:00 SOUNDTRACK. Throughout the month of December, Soundtrack will be presenting the classic film music of Bernard Herrmann (1911-1975). Most of these recordings are being broadcast for the first time from CDs **not available from local record stores.** This morning, Citizen Kane (1941), The Devil and Daniel Webster (1941), Jane Eyre (1944) and The Snows of Kilimanjaro (1952).Produced by Paul Wunder.

7:00 MARTIN SOKOL'S THROUGH THE OPERA GLASS. Regina Fiorito Sokol, Executive Producer.

9:30 HERE OF A SUNDAY MORNING. Early music with Chris Whent.

11:30 HARD WORK. Live radio with Mike Feder.

1:00 CON SABOR LATINO. Issues and music from the Latino community, with hosts Mickey Melendez and Hernando Alvaricci.

5:30 LATINO JOURNAL. Producer Santiago Nieves focuses on the issues, concerns, and interests of the tri-state area's growing Latino community.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:30 HUMAN RIGHTS AND THE LESBIAN AND GAY COMMUNITY. A special in-depth analysis of the struggle for human rights by Lesbians and Gay men at home and abroad. Produced by Gonzalo Aburto, Segment Producer for Alternativa Latina.

7:30 THE GAY SHOW. Join Larry Gutenberg, Lidell Jackson and Bob Storm for the Lesbian and Gay magazine-of-the-air. Tonight's topics include how to avoid in-fighting between minorities for needed AIDS funding. Plus, the latest Gay news.

8:30 EMANATIONS. Live radio with Bernard White.

DID YOU KNOW THAT... each of the three weekends of the WBAI Holiday Crafts Fair, many people with orderly minds and shopping "systems" will go precisely from Booth #1 to Booth #114 in sequence? No exact estimates are available, but the number are considerable (are we talking about you?) Also, clipboards will be available for purchase from at least one woodworker each weekend to facilitate note-taking.

10:30 THE GOLDEN AGE OF RADIO. A Norman Corwin special - known as the poet laureate of CBS, Corwin expanded the possibilities of radio art and galvanized the nation for war with a star-studded All-Network special, We Hold These Truths. Conceived as a commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the Bill of Rights, it became a call to arms when it was broadcast on December 15, 1941 - one week after Pearl Harbor. Included in the cast are Orson Welles, Jimmy Stewart, Walter Huston and Lionel Barrymore. We will also talk to R. LeRoy Bannerman, author of On A Note of Triumph: Norman Corwin and the Golden Years of Radio.

12:30 NEWS REBROADCAST

1:00 BACK OF THE BOOK. Mix'n'match audio thought provocations for internal use only. We may even mention pickles and female deer on the show: dill and does, these and those. On the air we can even say them together. Asterisk fans will like our message for all censors: F*C* IT! Hector and Anvil organize their proletariat struggle around efforts to make holiday shopping a capital offense. Free Form Live Radio by R. Paul Martin.

3:00 EVERYTHING OLD IS NEW AGAIN. Music with Dave Kenney.

MONDAY December 11

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Rosemari Mealy.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 MUSIC FROM ALL THE AMERICAS. Guest hosts explore the music of the Americas.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition, with Gary Null.

1:00 CROSSROADS. A news magazine on multi-cultural issues with a focus on Third World concerns.

1:30 HUMAN RIGHTS IN AMERICA. Discussions, with Lloyd D'Aguilar and Joy James.

2:30 FREE FORM RADIO. Music and poetry with Rosko.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with host, Lee Lowenfish - Beauty and the Beat, a radio stew of jazz and classics. Today's guest is Arnie Lawrence, jazz saxophonist, who talks about his work as director of the Jazz Education Program at the New School.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 WORLD VIEW. International issues with Samori Marksman.

8:30 SEQUOYAH - NATIVE AMERICAN NEWS produced by Jim Buck.

9:00 A TASTE OF THE BLUES with Tom Pomposello.

10:00 AFRICA'S MOST ACCOMPLISHED. In-depth discussions with various Africans who can be regarded as truly outstanding in his or her own field, including an interview with the man who set up the first home for mental illness in Africa and the person who established the Color Television Network in Nigeria. Produced by Amanda Peterson.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 UNSTUCK IN TIME. Live radio with Margot Adler.

1:00 THE MOORISH ORTHODOX RADIO CRUSADE. Xerox-zines, Sufism, and other fun for brainiacs. Live radio with Peter Lamborn Wilson.

3:30 ON THE ROCKS. Music with Roxanne.

TUESDAY December 12

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Rosemari Mealy.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 ALL MIXED UP. A unique program of audio mixes, with Peter Bochan.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition with Gary Null.

1:00 THIS WAY OUT. An international magazine for and about the Lesbian and Gay community.

Joseph Hurley interviews David King Dunaway, author of Huxley in Hollywood - a contemporary biography of Aldous Huxley (above) on Friday, December 15th at 4:30pm.

1:30 THE ALLIANCE REPORT produced in association with the National Alliance of Third World Journalists.

2:30 NOMMO Mix with Executive Producer, Anthony Sloan.

3:00 NOMMO Radio with Andrew Byard.

4:00 NOMMO Misc. with Harold.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with Eva Yaa Asantewaa and Jennifer Bernet.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 REPORT TO THE LISTENER. Station Manager Rosemarie Reed reports on the state of the station.

7:30 ALTERNATIVES TO INCINERATION. Answers to our solid waste problem - a presentation of arguments against incineration as the answer to the solid waste crisis looming over the metropolitan area. Among the guests will be Dr. Barry Commoner, who will discuss the Center for Biology of Natural Systems' experiment in East Hampton, Long Island. Produced by Susan Mazzocchi.

8:30 THE SHAKESPEARE LIBERATION FRONT PRESENTS...

9:00 STOLEN MOMENTS. Jazz with Mahmoud Ibrahim.

10:00 THE DRUG TUG CASE: The Vindication of the Christic Institute? The 1988 seizure in San Francisco Bay of a barge full of marijuana and hashish led to the disclosure of evidence pointing to a web of global political intrigue. The disclosures, set forth by a small paper in Napa, California, point to the involvement of the CIA, Panamanian dictator Noriega and the Reagan administration in yet another drug smuggling operation to fund the contras. Dave Emory, researcher/broadcaster, uncovers these links - and some of the interesting tributaries which lead from them. Produced by Tom Whelan. Part 3 in this series will focus on an update of current developments.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 LATE NIGHT LIVE RADIO with Carletta J. Walker.

1:00 WEAPONRY. Military affairs and hardware with Tom Wisker.

3:30 MONSTERS FROM THE ID. Punk rock from the dark side of your brain. A show not to be slept through, and we won't let you. With Ed Banger and Sue Real.

WEDNESDAY December 13

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with a guest host.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 CRAFT CONVERSATIONS. Rick Harris reviews the 18th Annual WBAI Holiday Crafts Fair, one of the most exciting crafts expositions in America, with Matt Alperin, director of the Fair.

9:35 GHOSTS IN THE MACHINE: WOMEN IN POP. The divas of pop, funk, punk, rap, reggae, and other good-for-your-soul styles, in music, scene reports, and interviews. With host Victoria Starr.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition with Gary Null.

1:00 POLLUTION SOLUTIONS. In this documentary series, The Other Americas Radio presents and looks into the key issues affecting our environment and efforts to save our planet.

1:30 CITY POLITICS. Discussions with David Mendelsohn.

2:30 FREE FORM RADIO. Music and poetry with Rosko.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with Malika Lee Whitney. Featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30, selected shorts at 4:45pm, Pickney Place, a program of storytelling at 5:00, and interviews at 5:30.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 EXPLORATIONS. Science and peace issues with Michio Kaku.

8:30 THE CUTTING EDGE: BLACK NEWS AND VIEWS. Produced by Jesse Keyes.

9:00 NEW YORK COLLAGE. The common roots of all music originating in the Caribbean Islands, and all that it has grown into. Bring on the good sounds! Produced by Nancy Rodriguez.

10:00 THE PERSONAL COMPUTER SHOW. Host, Joe King. Co-hosts, Hank Kee, and David Burstein. Produced in cooperation with the New York Amateur Computer Club.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 EARTHWATCH. Live radio with Robert Knight.

1:30 CARRIER WAVE. Live radio with Sidney Smith.

3:30 COSMIK DEBRIS. Music from the Void.

THURSDAY December 14

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Will K. Wilkins.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

9:30 SHOCKING BLUE. Music with Delphine Blue.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition with Gary Null.

1:00 CONSIDER THE ALTERNATIVES. The SANE Education Fund's documentary series focusing on peace and disarmament issues, ecology and alternatives to the continuous expansion of the war machine.

Tune in to The Talking Violin, a special December music series on the history of improvisation on the violin. Written and produced by WBAI's own Julie Lyonn Lieberman, every Thursday night at 9pm.

1:30 GRAY PANTHER REPORT with Lydia Bragger.

2:30 ALTERNATIVA LATINA. This special edition takes a close look at the developments in Chile, as Chileans hit the polls in a national election. With live reports from Santiago and in-studio analysis. Produced by Boris Cardenas, Francisco LaTorre and the Alternativa Latina Collective.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE. Lee Ryan, host. Featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30 and Frederick GeoBold's Lightshow.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 BUILDING BRIDGES. The community labor report with Mimi Rosenberg and Ken Nash.

8:30 RADIO FREE EIREANN. A show on Ireland and the Irish Freedom struggle. Produced by Mick Dewan and John McDonagh.

9:00 THE TALKING VIOLIN. An odyssey through time with the violin, as it "sings" every style of music imaginable in the hands of creators, innovators and visionaries. Written and produced by Julie Lyonn Lieberman with Steve Rathe. Today, "Early Jazz Violin" presents some of the first violinists to use the instrument in a jazz context, with the music of Joe Venuti, Stephane Grapelli, Remo Biondi and others.

10:00 CARIBBEAN AND LATIN AMERICAN REPORT produced by Annette Walker and others.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 INVESTIGATIONS. Live radio and documentary with Andrew Phillips.

1:00 PRIMARY SOURCES. Live radio with interim host, Bob Fass.

3:30 MORNING DEW. A program devoted to the music of the Grateful Dead. Produced by Lance Neal.

FRIDAY December 15

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Will K. Wilkins.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 CRAFT CONVERSATIONS. Rick Harris previews the third and final weekend of the 18th annual WBAI Holiday Crafts Fair, one of the most exciting crafts expositions in America, with Matt Alperin, director of the Fair.

DID YOU KNOW THAT... during the WBAI Holiday Crafts Fair's lifespan, we've seen five Presidents, three (at press time - soon to be four) Mayors, fourteen Station Managers at WBAI and eighteen Managers for the New York Yankees? (Amazin', ain't it?)

9:35 THIRD WORLD MUSIC MASTERS. Richard B. Isles interviews Bill Dillard, who played 2nd trumpet for Louis Armstrong for many years.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition issues with Gary Null.

1:00 SOUTH AFRICA NOW: THE RADIO EDITION. A radio newsmagazine on the events in Southern Africa, delving into the story behind the reports coming from South Africa and the Frontline states. This program defies the media ban/censorship imposed by the Apartheid regime. Produced by Globalvision Television and adapted for radio by Sally O'Brien and Zenzile Khoisan.

DID YOU KNOW THAT... some 150 people will get the dates and times confused and either arrive one weekend too early, one weekend too late and/or show up before 5pm on a Friday or after 7pm on a Saturday or Sunday? (Don't let this happen to you - check the times listed in the Fair ad on the back cover.)

1:30 URBAN WASTE: REMOVAL, STORAGE, RECYCLING. All aspects of environmental waste disposal and use of waste for fertilizer will be discussed in this installment of producer Jerry O'Connell's on-going environmental series.

2:30 UNDERCURRENTS COVERAGE with the WBAI Undercurrents team - Dennis Bernstein, Robert Knight, and Jessica Jiji.

DID YOU KNOW THAT... over 2,000 different craftspeople have participated in the various WBAI Holiday Crafts Fairs over the years? Only 27 have done the Fair consistently for the last ten years, and only two current exhibitors have participated in all 17 Fairs (and boy, are they tired!) This is the last weekend of the Fair, so please try to stop by.

3:30 MEDIUM HOT. International affairs with an emphasis on how the different media present the issues. Produced by Adele Oltman and Sheila Ryan.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with host Joseph Hurley, featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30, and The Screening Room at 5:30 with Paul Wunder and Joseph Hurley reviewing and discussing the latest films. **Today, Joe interviews David King Dunaway, author of Huxley to Hollywood, about the life of Aldous Huxley in the 30s and 40s.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 DATELINE NICARAGUA. The story behind the headlines - news and features direct from Managua. Produced by Julie Light.

7:00 AIDS IN FOCUS, a weekly magazine on the politics and culture of the AIDS pandemic, produced by Michael Alcalay.

7:15 FEARFUL SYMMETRY with Leo Cawley.

8:00 BEHIND THE SCREENS. Movie matters with Delores Hayes.

8:30 A MOVEABLE FEAST. Tonight, John Burnham Schwartz reads from his best-selling first novel, Bicycle Days, and talks about Americans in Japan.

9:00 HOME FRIES. Live radio, comedy, music and call-ins with Fred Herschkowitz.

10:30 BLACK ROCK COALITION

12:00 NIGHTFLYTE. Music with Kofi Pendergrass.

3:00 MUSIC FROM THE CENTER OF THE EARTH with hosts Bill Wells and Gary Olson.

SATURDAY December 16

5:00 HOUR OF THE WOLF. Science fiction, fantasy, enchantment, and the imagination. Live radio with Jim Freund. And this morning, The Star, by Arthur C. Clarke.

7:00 AS I PLEASE. "... for none of us can ever express the exact measure of his needs or thoughts or his sorrows; and human speech is like a cracked kettle on which we tap crude rhythms for bears to dance to, while we long to make music that will melt the stars."

8:30 ANY SATURDAY. Live radio with David Rothenberg.

10:30 LUNCHPAIL. Live radio with Paul Gorman.

12:30 PIPER IN THE MEADOW STRAYING. Folk music with Edward Haber.

2:00 COUNTRY MUSIC ALTERNATIVES. Bluegrass and traditional music with Tom Tortorella.

3:30 SLIPKNOT! Music with Spyder.

4:30 JAZZ SAMPLER with Bill Farrar.

6:00 HEAR AND NOW. New music with Cynthia Bell and Julie Lyonn Lieberman.

7:00 HOUSING NOTEBOOK with members of the Metropolitan Council on Housing.

8:00 WORLD DANCE PARTY. African, Caribbean and Afro-Cuban music, produced by Al Angeloro.

10:30 RADIO UNNAMEABLE. Live radio with Bob Fass.

1:00 LABBRISH. Live radio with Habte Selassie.

SUNDAY December 17

5:00 SOUNDTRACK. Throughout the month of December, Soundtrack will be presenting the classic film music of Bernard Herrmann (1911-1975). Most of these recordings are being broadcast for the first time from CDs **not available from local record stores**. This morning, The Day The Earth Stood Still (1951), Journey to the Center of the Earth (1959) and Fahrenheit 451 (1966). Produced by Paul Wunder.

7:00 MARTIN SOKOL'S THROUGH THE OPERA GLASS. Regina Fiorito Sokol, Executive Producer.

9:30 HERE OF A SUNDAY MORNING. Early music with Chris Whent.

11:30 HARD WORK. Live radio with Mike Feder.

1:00 CON SABOR LATINO. Issues and music from the Latino community, with hosts Mickey Melendez and Hernando Alvaricci.

5:30 LATINO JOURNAL. Producer Santiago Nieves focuses on the issues, concerns, and interests of the tri-state area's growing Latino community.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:30 STORY READINGS. Actors interpret the works of great American writers in this special series from the WBAI Arts Department, beginning with actor Ben Carney reading stories by Eudora Welty. Produced by Ana Patig, with artistic direction by Ben Carney.

7:00 FROM COMPOSER TO PERFORMANCE. A new series on contemporary American music will explore what goes on behind the scenes when a new classical chamber work is performed for the first time - Lyric Intermezzo by George Perle, played by the Seattle Symphony. Produced by Joan Rabinowitz.

7:30 OUTLOOKS: THE GAY AND LESBIAN COMMUNITY ON THE AIR. An exploration of our community's emerging traditions and alternatives. Produced by the Gay and Lesbian Independent Broadcasters (G.L.I.B.).

8:30 EMANATIONS. Live radio with Bernard White.

10:30 THE GOLDEN AGE OF RADIO. With Christmas only a week away, we welcome in the holiday season with the Theater Guild On The Air presentation of Dickens' David Copperfield. This broadcast, from December 24, 1950 stars Boris Karloff, Flora Robson, Cyril Ritchard and Richard Burton. Plus another hour of entertainment too special and thrilling to even hint at here! Tune in and be surprised - I know I will! Produced by Max Schmid.

12:30 NEWS REBROADCAST

1:00 THE CREATIVE UNITY COLLECTIVE

3:00 EVERYTHING OLD IS NEW AGAIN. Music with Dave Kenney.

MONDAY December 18

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Rosemari Mealy.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 MUSIC FROM ALL THE AMERICAS. Guest hosts explore the music of the Americas.

Elisabeth Welch comes to Out There On Their Own, Monday, December 18th at 11am.

11:00 OUT THERE ON THEIR OWN: Elisabeth Welch. This New York-born singer once starred opposite Paul Robeson in the film Song of Freedom. Now past 80, she has become newly celebrated for her work in cabarets both in London and New York. She comes to WBAI to talk of her life and music. Produced and hosted by Joseph Hurley and engineered by Anthony Sloan.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition, with Gary Null.

1:00 CROSSROADS. A news magazine on multi-cultural issues with a focus on Third World concerns.

1:30 WHERE WE LIVE, a look at issues of domestic struggle generally ignored by mainstream media. Produced by Sally O'Brien.

2:30 FREE FORM RADIO Music and poetry with Rosko.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with host, Lee Lowenfish - Beauty and the Beat, a radio stew of jazz and classics. Today we bid a musical farewell to "Autumn in New York."

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 WORLD VIEW. International issues with Samori Marksman.

8:30 SEQUOYAH - NATIVE AMERICAN NEWS produced by Jim Buck.

9:00 GET RHYTHM! Music with Pat Rich.

10:00 WORLDWATCH. This Fall, a journalism conference examined many issues for the profession - Sansationalism and the War on Drugs, Human Rights, Censorship in the Media, the New Thought Police On Television and of course, Questioning Authority. The seminars were sponsored by the Free Press Association, and this program documents some of the major proceedings from that conference. Valerie Van Isler, Executive Producer.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 UNSTUCK IN TIME. Live radio with Margot Adler.

1:00 WALDEN'S POND. A show discussing animal rights, ecology, and spirituality. Hosted by Shelton Walden.

3:30 ON THE ROCKS. Music with Roxanne.

TUESDAY December 19

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Rosemari Mealy.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 THIRD WORLD GALLERY. Music with Chico Alvarez.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition with Gary Null.

1:00 THIS WAY OUT. An international magazine for and about the Lesbian and Gay community.

1:30 FRONTLINE: MIDDLE EAST. This special report looks at the Palestinian uprising, the Intifadah, after two years - with live updates from Israel/Palestine. Produced by Phyllis Bennis.

2:30 NOMMO Mix with Executive Producer, Anthony Sloan.

3:00 NOMMO Radio with Andrew Byard.

4:00 NOMMO Misc. with Harold.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with Eva Yaa Asantewaa and Jennifer Bernet.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 ECONONEWS. Economic and cultural issues with Maarten de Kadt and Richard Schrader.

8:30 VISIT NEW GRIMSTON, ANYWAY. Another episode of the hilarious look at how municipal government is run, really. A ZPPR production.

9:00 STOLEN MOMENTS. Jazz with Mahmoud Ibrahim.

10:00 AN INJURY TO ALL. A special in-depth report on the continued conflict between the United Mine Workers of America and the Pittston Coal Company of Virginia. Produced by Laura Flanders.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 LATE NIGHT LIVE RADIO with Carletta J. Walker.

1:00 WEAPONRY. Military affairs and hardware with Tom Wisker.

3:30 PUNK AND HARDCORE. Music with Susan Browne.

WEDNESDAY December 20

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with a guest host.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 GHOSTS IN THE MACHINE: WOMEN IN POP. The divas of pop, funk, punk, rap, reggae, and other good-for-your-soul styles, in music, scene reports, and interviews. With host Victoria Starr.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition with Gary Null.

1:00 POLLUTION SOLUTIONS. In this documentary series, The Other Americas Radio presents and looks into the key issues affecting our environment and efforts to save our planet.

1:30 THE POSITIVE MIND with Armand DiMele.

2:30 FREE FORM RADIO. Music and poetry with Rosko.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with Malika Lee Whitney. Featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30, selected shorts at 4:45pm, Pickney Place, a program of storytelling at 5:00, and interviews at 5:30.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 EXPLORATIONS. Science and peace issues with Michio Kaku.

8:30 THE CUTTING EDGE: BLACK NEWS AND VIEWS. Produced by Jesse Keyes.

9:00 NEW YORK COLLAGE. The common roots of all music originating in the Caribbean Islands, and all that it has grown into. Bring on the good sounds! Produced by Nancy Rodriguez.

10:00 THE PERSONAL COMPUTER SHOW. Host, Joe King. Co-hosts, Hank Kee, and David Burstein. Produced in cooperation with the New York Amateur Computer Club.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 EARTHWATCH. Live radio with Robert Knight.

1:30 CARRIER WAVE. Live radio with Sidney Smith.

3:30 OUT OF THE SHADOWS. Music with Don Scherdin.

THURSDAY December 21

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Will K. Wilkins.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

9:30 SHOCKING BLUE. Music with Delphine Blue.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition with Gary Null.

1:00 CONSIDER THE ALTERNATIVES. The SANE Education Fund's documentary series focusing on peace and disarmament issues, ecology and alternatives to the continuous expansion of the war machine.

1:30 LISTENERS' ACTION ON HOMELESSNESS AND HOUSING.

2:30 ALTERNATIVA LATINA. Brings you up to date on the reality of Latin America, with interviews, commentaries, the news and the music of the New Song Movement. Produced by Boris Cardenas and the Alternativa Latina Collective.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE. Lee Ryan, host. Featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30 and Frederick GeoBold's Lightshow.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 RADIO FREE EIREANN SPECIAL. Ireland: the year in review. Highlights of 1989,with a special year-end commentary by Mick Dewan, John McDonagh and folks from the Irish Republican Movement in Ireland.

9:00 THE TALKING VIOLIN. An odyssey through time with the violin, as it "sings" every style of music imaginable in the hands of creators, innovators and visionaries. Written and produced by Julie Lyonn Lieberman with Steve Rathe. Today, "String Bands" gives an overview of six decades of violin improvisation in string band music, from the 20s to the present.

10:00 AFRIKALEIDOSCOPE with Elombe Brath.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 LATE NIGHT LIVE RADIO with Citizen Kafka.

1:00 PRIMARY SOURCES. Live radio with interim host, Bob Fass.

3:30 LIVE AIR - or Is it Dead Air? Anyway, music and live stuff with partners in crime David Nolan and Doug Cheesman.

FRIDAY December 22

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Will K. Wilkins.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:35 STORMY MONDAY. Music with Carletta Joy Walker.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition issues with Gary Null.

1:00 SOUTH AFRICA NOW: THE RADIO EDITION. A radio newsmagazine on the events in Southern Africa, delving into the story behind the reports coming from South Africa and the Frontline states. This program defies the media ban/censorship imposed by the Apartheid regime. Produced by Globalvision Television and adapted for radio by Sally O'Brien and Zenzile Khoisan.

1:30 HEALTHSTYLES. Reproductive Rights and the Courts. Are there situations where a woman should be charged with murder if she miscarries? Should substance addicted mothers be charged with child abuse if their newborn tests positive for drugs? These are some of the issues that have entered the courtroom and will be discussed live by experts in the field. Produced by Diana Mason of WBAI's Nursing and Health Resources Network.

2:30 UNDERCURRENTS COVERAGE with the WBAI Undercurrents team - Dennis Bernstein, Robert Knight, and Jessica Jiji.

3:30 FRIDAY AFTERNOON with Dennis Bernstein. The politics and poetry of struggle.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with host Joseph Hurley, featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30, and The Screening Room at 5:30 with Paul Wunder and Joseph Hurley reviewing and discussing the latest films.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 DATELINE NICARAGUA. The story behind the headlines - news and features direct from Managua. Produced by Julie Light.

7:00 AIDS IN FOCUS, a weekly magazine on the politics and culture of the AIDS pandemic, produced by Michael Alcalay.

7:15 FEARFUL SYMMETRY with Leo Cawley.

8:00 WORKING TITLE. Readings produced by Alina Avila.

8:30 A MOVEABLE FEAST. Tonight, Claribel Alegria reads poems from Flowers From the Volcano and an excerpt from her novel, Ashes of Izalco, and talks about the rebel struggle in El Salvador.

9:00 HOME FRIES. Live radio, comedy, music and call-ins with Fred Herschkowitz.

10:30 BLACK ROCK COALITION

12:00 NIGHTFLYTE. Music with Chet Jackson.

3:00 MUSIC FROM THE CENTER OF THE EARTH with hosts Bill Wells and Gary Olson.

SATURDAY December 23

5:00 HOUR OF THE WOLF. Science fiction, fantasy, enchantment, and the imagination. Live radio with Jim Freund. And this morning, The Council of Elrond.

7:00 AS I PLEASE. "... for none of us can ever express the exact measure of his needs or thoughts or his sorrows; and human speech is like a cracked kettle on which we tap crude rhythms for bears to dance to, while we long to make music that will melt the stars."

8:30 ANY SATURDAY. Live radio with David Rothenberg.

10:30 LUNCHPAIL. Live radio with Paul Gorman.

12:30 PIPER IN THE MEADOW STRAYING. Folk music with Edward Haber.

2:00 COUNTRY MUSIC ALTERNATIVES. Bluegrass and traditional music with Tom Tortorella.

3:30 UNSUNG HEROES. Music with Jordyn Tyson.

The Mandela Wall in Northern Ireland - listen to The Black and Irish Communities in the 1990s, Tuesday, December 26th at 7:30pm.

4:30 JAZZ SAMPLER with Bill Farrar.

6:00 HEAR AND NOW. New music with Cynthia Bell and Julie Lieberman.

7:00 HOUSING NOTEBOOK with members of the Metropolitan Council on Housing.

8:00 WORLD DANCE PARTY. African, Caribbean and Afro-Cuban music, produced by Al Angeloro.

10:30 RADIO UNNAMEABLE. Live radio with Bob Fass.

1:00 CHRISTMAS EVE SPECIAL: Radio Drama and Speakout on Homelessness. Anthony Sloan, the Listeners' Action Coalition on Homelessness and Housing and the Creative Unity Collective will present a live radio drama (from 1-3:30am) and live speakout from Penn Station (from 3:30-5am) on homelessness in New York City.

SUNDAY December 24

5:00 SOUNDTRACK. Throughout the month of December, Soundtrack will be presenting the classic film music of Bernard Herrmann (1911-1975). Most of these recordings are being broadcast for the first time from CDs **not available from local record stores.** This morning, The Trouble With Harry (1955), Vertigo (1958), North by Northwest (1959) and Marnie (1964). Produced by Paul Wunder.

7:00 MARTIN SOKOL'S THROUGH THE OPERA GLASS. Regina Fiorito Sokol, Executive Producer.

9:30 HERE OF A SUNDAY MORNING. Early music with Chris Whent.

11:30 HARD WORK. Live radio with Mike Feder.

1:00 CON SABOR LATINO. Issues and music from the Latino community, with hosts Mickey Melendez and Hernando Alvaricci.

5:30 LATINO JOURNAL. Producer Santiago Nieves focuses on the issues, concerns, and interests of the tri-state area's growing Latino community.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:30 STORY READINGS. Actress Carmen Rivera reads from Grace Paley's short stories. Produced by Ana Patig, with artistic direction by Ben Carney.

7:00 FROM COMPOSER TO PERFORMANCE. A documentary about William O. Smith, composer and jazz musician, as he conducts the premiere of his piece, Illuminated Manuscripts with the Sonic Ventorum Woodwind Quintet. Produced by Joan Rabinowitz.

7:30 THE GAY SHOW. Christmas Eve in New York. Even for non-believing Gays and Lesbians, 'tis the season for longing for that infamous thing called Family. Join Larry, Lidell, and Bob (plus Santa, with his favorite Chubby Chaser), for tonight's festive Gay magazine of the air.

8:30 EMANATIONS. Live radio with Bernard White.

9:30 THE GOLDEN AGE OF RADIO. Our annual holiday treat for you - 3 1/2 hours of Christmas Classics to make the season bright, whether you're hanging up your stocking or just hanging out. Gather the family, warm the Wassail and enjoy. Included will be the annual Grand Central Station Christmas story, Jimmy Stewart in It's A Wonderful Life from Screen Directors Playhouse, and five more great reasons not to slash your wrists, even if you're all alone. At least you'll have me, Max Schmid.

1:00 BACK OF THE BOOK. Bah! Let's gun down Santa as he flies over the roof-

tops! Hell, maybe he's a listener. Maybe he's really tranced out up in that sleigh of his. It's actually Xmas as you listen to this program; so if you're feeling particularly miserable, as your host plans to, count on this show to counter "Seasonality." Just don't count too high or you'll fall of the edge. At least after today you won't have to hear all of that cheery crap! Free Form Live Radio, and Humbuggery, by R. Paul Martin.

3:00 EVERYTHING OLD IS NEW AGAIN. Music with Dave Kenney.

MONDAY December 25

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Rosemari Mealy.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 HOLIDAY SEASON SPECIAL. Dr. Leonard Lehrman, composer and WBAI producer, brings you a special program of Christmas and Hanukkah music.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition, with Gary Null.

1:00 CROSSROADS. A news magazine on multi-cultural issues with a focus on Third World concerns.

1:30 HUMAN RIGHTS IN AMERICA. Discussions, with Lloyd D'Aguilar and Joy James.

2:30 FREE FORM RADIO. Music and poetry with Rosko.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with host, Lee Lowenfish - Beauty and the Beat, a radio stew of jazz and classics. Today we celebrate jazz master Shorty Jackson's 90th birthday with a rebroadcast of our 1986 special, "I Knocks 'Em Dead and Then I Buries 'Em."

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 HOUSING NOW!: THE JOURNEY HOME. Why is there a homeless crisis in America today? And why are children the fastest-growing segment of our homeless? Listen to this one-hour documentary including the voices of the homeless men and women who walked 250 miles to Washington, DC, the Rev. Jesse Jackson, Tracy Chapman, Jon Voight and many others. A rebroadcast of a special produced by David Mendelsohn and Andrew Phillips of WBAI's award-winning Listeners' Action on Homelessness and Housing team.

8:30 SEQUOYAH - NATIVE AMERICAN NEWS produced by Jim Buck.

9:00 A TASTE OF THE BLUES with Tom Pomposello.

10:00 ASIAN/AMERICAN FOCUS. Issues, events and analysis on the New York Asian-American community, in a holiday special. Produced by Michael Matsumoto and others.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 UNSTUCK IN TIME. Live radio with Margot Adler.

1:00 THE MOORISH ORTHODOX RADIO CRUSADE. Xerox-zines, Sufism, and other fun for brainiacs. Live radio with Peter Lamborn Wilson.

3:30 ON THE ROCKS. Music with Roxanne.

TUESDAY December 26

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Rosemari Mealy.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 ALL MIXED UP. A unique program of audio mixes, with Peter Bochan.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition with Gary Null.

1:00 THIS WAY OUT. An international magazine for and about the Lesbian and Gay community.

1:30 THE ALLIANCE REPORT produced in association with the National Alliance of Third World Journalists.

2:30 NOMMO Mix with Executive Producer, Anthony Sloan.

3:00 NOMMO Radio with Andrew Byard.

4:00 NOMMO Misc. with Harold.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with Eva Yaa Asantewaa and Jennifer Bernet.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 THE BLACK AND IRISH COMMUNITIES IN THE 1990s. Connections, past and present. Historical differences and similarities, as well as an analysis of the twin struggles in contemporary America and the possibility of mutually beneficial connections in the future. Produced by Mick Dewan and Samori Marksman.

8:30 PUBLIC RADIO BOOK SHOW. Tom Smith of the Writer's Institute in Albany interviews.Shay Youngblood about her first book, The Big Mama Stories.

9:00 STOLEN MOMENTS. Jazz with Mahmoud Ibrahim.

10:00 THE YEAR IN REVIEW: 1989. A WBAI Public Affairs Department Special Report: from the inauguration of George Bush to the disbanding of the Contras, from the changing face of the Eastern Bloc countries to independence for Namibia, 1989 capped a decade of monumental change in the World. Join us for this special overview of the year's events, including the rise of ARENA In El Salvador, the "war on Drugs" in Colombia and the on-going Palestinian Intifadah on the West Bank and Gaza Strip. We also ask the pressing question: what can we expect in the 1990s?

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 LATE NIGHT LIVE RADIO with Carletta J. Walker.

1:00 WEAPONRY. Military affairs and hardware with Tom Wisker.

3:30 MONSTERS FROM THE ID. Punk rock from the dark side of your brain. A show not to be slept through, and we won't let you. With Ed Banger and Sue Real.

WEDNESDAY December 27

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with a guest host.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 GHOSTS IN THE MACHINE: WOMEN IN POP. The divas of pop, funk, punk, rap, reggae, and other good-for-your-soul styles, in music, scene reports, and interviews. With host Victoria Starr.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition with Gary Null.

1:00 POLLUTION SOLUTIONS. Tthis documentary series, looks into the key issues affecting our environment .

Farewell to the Terrible 80s - a Building Bridges special decade-end review from a labor perspective, Thursday, December 28th at 7:30pm.

1:30 CITY POLITICS. Discussions with David Mendelsohn.

2:30 FREE FORM RADIO. Music and poetry with Rosko.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with Malika Lee Whitney. Featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30, selected shorts at 4:45pm and Pickney Place, a program of storytelling at 5:00,.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 EXPLORATIONS. Science and peace issues with Michio Kaku.

8:30 THE CUTTING EDGE: BLACK NEWS AND VIEWS. Produced by Jesse Keyes.

9:00 NEW YORK COLLAGE. The common roots of all music originating in the Caribbean Islands, and all that it has grown into. Bring on the good sounds! Produced by Nancy Rodriguez.

10:00 THE PERSONAL COMPUTER SHOW. Host, Joe King. Co-hosts, Hank Kee, and David Burstein. Produced in cooperation with the New York Amateur Computer Club.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 EARTHWATCH. Live radio with Robert Knight.

1:30 CARRIER WAVE. Live radio with Sidney Smith.

3:30 COSMIK DEBRIS. Music from the Void.

THURSDAY December 28

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Will K. Wilkins.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

9:30 SHOCKING BLUE. Music with Delphine Blue.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition with Gary Null.

1:00 CONSIDER THE ALTERNATIVES. The SANE Education Fund's documentary series focusing on peace and disarmament issues, ecology and alternatives to the continuous expansion of the war machine.

1:30 GRAY PANTHER REPORT with Lydia Bragger.

2:30 ALTERNATIVA LATINA. Brings you up to date on the reality of Latin America, with interviews, commentaries, the news and the music of the New Song Movement. Produced by Boris Cardenas and the Alternativa Latina Collective.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE. Lee Ryan, host. Featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30 and Frederick GeoBold's Lightshow.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 UNDERCURRENTS HIGHLIGHTS

7:00 BEHIND THE NEWS. An in-depth discussion of the day's events, produced by Samori Marksman.

7:30 BUILDING BRIDGES SPECIAL REPORT. Farewell to the terrible 80s - the decade in review from a labor perspective. According to United Mine Workers' Union President Richard Trumpka, the big corporations set the national agenda in the 80s, but it will be labor's turn in the 90s. This roundtable discussion by veteran correspondents will analyze labor trends in the 80s with special emphasis on recent developments, and prospects for change in the 90s. Participants will include Ken Crowe from Newsday and Jane Slaughter from Labor Notes. Produced by Mimi Rosenberg and Ken Nash.

9:00 THE TALKING VIOLIN. An odyssey through time with the violin, as it "sings" every style of music imaginable in the hands of creators, innovators and visionaries. Written and produced by Julie Lyonn Lieberman with Steve Rathe. Today, New Age Strings" features contemporary violinists who combine technology, world music and improvisation to create new styles on the violin, with artists David Darling, Darol Anger and Julie Lyonn Lieberman.

10:00 CARIBBEAN AND LATIN AMERICAN REPORT produced by Annette Walker and others.

11:00 NEWS REBROADCAST

11:45 INVESTIGATIONS. Live radio and documentary with Andrew Phillips.

1:00 PRIMARY SOURCES. Live radio with Interim host, Bob Fass.

3:30 MORNING DEW. A program devoted to the music of the Grateful Dead. Produced by Lance Neal.

FRIDAY December 29

6:00 THE MORNING MAGAZINE with Will K. Wilkins.

8:00 UNDERCURRENTS

8:30 THE MORNING SHOW continues

9:30 THIRD WORLD MUSIC MASTERS. A special interview about life and music with jazz artist Carmen McRae. Produced by R.B.Isles.

12:00 NATURAL LIVING. Health and nutrition issues with Gary Null.

1:00 SOUTH AFRICA NOW: THE RADIO EDITION. A radio newsmagazine on the events in Southern Africa, delving into the story behind the reports coming from South Africa and the Frontline states. This program defies the media ban/censorship imposed by the Apartheid regime. Produced by Globalvision Television and adapted for radio by Sally O'Brien and Zenzile Kholsan.

1:30 SOUTHERN AFRICA: A REGIONAL ANALYSIS. A special year end wrap-up of events in Southern Africa, including the impact of Glasnost, political prisoners, the Namibian elections, the role of US banks in South Africa, US policy in the region and projections for the future. Produced by Bernard White.

2:30 UNDERCURRENTS COVERAGE with the WBAI Undercurrents team - Dennis Bernstein, Robert Knight, and Jessica Jiji.

3:30 MEDIUM HOT. International affairs with an emphasis on how the different media present the issues. Produced by Adele Oltman and Sheila Ryan.

4:30 THE WBAI ARTS MAGAZINE with host Joseph Hurley, featuring the Evening Serial at 4:30, and The Screening Room at 5:30 with Paul Wunder and Joseph Hurley reviewing and discussing the latest films.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:45 DATELINE NICARAGUA. The story behind the headlines - news and features direct from Managua. Produced by Julie Light.

7:00 AIDS IN FOCUS, the politics and culture of the AIDS pandemic, produced by Michael Alcalay.

7:15 FEARFUL SYMMETRY with Leo Cawley.

8:00 BEHIND THE SCREENS. Movie matters with Delores Hayes.

8:30 A MOVEABLE FEAST. Tonight, Larry Brown reads from his acclaimed first novel, Dirty Work, and talks about his experiences with Vietnam veterans.

9:00 THE BERNIE STARR SHOW. Rock 'n roll and comedy adventure.

12:00 NIGHTFLYTE. Music with Kofi Pendergrass.

3:00 MUSIC FROM THE CENTER OF THE EARTH with hosts Bill Wells and Gary Olson.

SATURDAY December 30

5:00 HOUR OF THE WOLF. Science fiction, fantasy, enchantment, and the imagination. Live radio with Jim Freund. This morning, Jim celebrates the end of a decade and his birthday with a merry crew: Steeleye Span, Jethro Tull, Renaissance and other Celtic rockers.

7:00 AS I PLEASE. "... for none of us can ever express the exact measure of his needs or thoughts or his sorrows; and human speech is like a cracked kettle on which we tap crude rhythms for bears to dance to, while we long to make music that will melt the stars."

8:30 ANY SATURDAY. Live radio with David Rothenberg.

10:30 LUNCHPAIL. Live radio with Paul Gorman.

12:30 PIPER IN THE MEADOW STRAYING. Folk music with Edward Haber.

2:00 COUNTRY MUSIC ALTERNATIVES. Bluegrass and traditional music with Tom Tortorella.

3:30 SLIPKNOT! Music with Spyder.

4:30 JAZZ SAMPLER with Bill Farrar.

6:00 HEAR AND NOW. New music with Cynthia Bell and Julie Lyonn Lieberman.

7:00 HOUSING NOTEBOOK.

8:00 WORLD DANCE PARTY. African, Caribbean and Afro-Cuban music, produced by Al Angeloro.

10:30 RADIO UNNAMEABLE. Live radio with Bob Fass.

1:00 LABBRISH. Live radio with Habte Selassie.

SUNDAY December 31

5:00 SOUNDTRACK. Throughout the month of December, Soundtrack will be presenting the classic film music of Bernard Herrmann (1911-1975). Most of these recordings are being broadcast for the first time from CDs not available from local record stores. This morning, The Seventh Voyage of Sinbad (1958), The Three Worlds of Gulliver (1960), Mysterious Island (1961) and Jason and the Argonauts (1963). Produced by Paul Wunder.

7:00 MARTIN SOKOL'S THROUGH THE OPERA GLASS. Regina Fiorito Sokol, Executive Producer.

9:30 HERE OF A SUNDAY MORNING. Early music with Chris Whent.

11:30 HARD WORK. Live radio with Mike Feder.

1:00 CON SABOR LATINO. Issues and music from the Latino community, with hosts Mickey Melendez and Hernando Alvaricci.

5:30 LATINO JOURNAL. Producer Santiago Nieves focuses on the issues, concerns, and interests of the tri-state area's growing Latino community.

6:00 THE WBAI EVENING NEWS

6:30 STORY READINGS. Actress Tobi Kanter reads the short stories of Flannery O'Connor in the special new WBAI series. Produced by Ana Patig, with artistic direction by Ben Carney.

7:00 FROM COMPOSER TO PERFORMANCE. Continuing our new music series - a documentary about the Japanese-American composer Paul Chihara and the Almont Chamber Ensemble performing his work Serenade. Produced by Joan Rabinowitz.

7:30 OUTLOOKS: THE GAY AND LESBIAN COMMUNITY ON THE AIR. New definitions for our communities in the 90s. Produced by the Gay and Lesbian Independent Broadcasters (G.L.I.B.).

8:30 EMANATIONS. Live radio with Bernard White.

9:00 SHORTCUTS THROUGH THE 80s: The Decade It All Broke Down. As we end the 1990s, producer Peter Bochan takes us through the Reagan era, Bhopal, earthquakes, hurricanes, elections, Chernobyl, South Africa, Contragate, the assassination of John Lennon, attempts on the Pope and Reagan, Nicaragua, Tiananmen Square, the Rainbow Coalition and Jesses Jackson, and much, much more.

12:00 THE GOLDEN AGE OF RADIO. Vintage radio with Max Schmid.

1:00 THE CREATIVE UNITY COLLECTIVE

3:00 EVERYTHING OLD IS NEW AGAIN. Music with Dave Kenney.

Photo Credits:

Jon Faddis (page 3): Hans Neleman

Emile DeAntonio (page 3): Bill & Gewn Sloan

Aldous Huxley (page 8:) Estate of George Platt Lynes courtesy of Linda Hyman Fine Arts

Housing Now! March (November Folio page 10): Mike Camber/Impact Visuals

Crafts Fair logo: Gilbert Lesser

The December meeting of the Local Board of Directors of WBAI will be held on December 16th at 2pm at Ferris Booth Hall, 115th Street and Broadway, NYC. If there is any change in meeting time or location, it will be announced frequently on the air.

WBAI is a 50,000 watt listener-sponsored community radio station broadcasting to most of the metropolitan area of New York and New Jersey. Our address is: 505 8th Avenue, New York, NY, 10018 (212) 279-0707. The station is licensed to the Pacifica Foundation and broadcasts at a frequency of 99.5MHz. Subscriptions are available at $45/yr ($25/yr student/senior), $2 of which underwrites the cost of one year's Folio subscription. The WBAI Folio is published 11 times a year and is distributed to all subscribers.

When drafting your will, please consider making a bequest to WBAI-Pacifica. For information, write or call Rosemarie Reed, Station Manager, WBAI-FM, 505 Eighth Avenue, New York, NY, 10018 (212) 279-0707

The Pacifica Foundation provides the WBAI mailing list to an organization which in turn rents or exchanges, on behalf of the Foundation, mailing lists to other non-profit organizations. If you object to having your name and address used this way, please write to our Subscriptions Department at our regular station address, enclosing a recent Folio label, and we will omit your name from our exchange list. If your request has already been entered in our computer, the letters NX will appear on the top line of your mailing list, to the right of the expiration date of your subscription.

THE 1989 AUTHOR'S TABLE RETURNS TO THE 18th ANNUAL WBAI HOLIDAY CRAFTS FAIR

SMALL PRESS BOOKS, CALENDARS, POST CARDS AND APPOINTMENT BOOKS

A FREE book with your subscription renewal at the WBAI Author's Table

If you're already a subscriber, you'l receive a 10% discount on any selection from over 100 book titles

WBAI radio personalites/authors Gary Null, Mike Feder, Michio Kaku and Bill Tabb will be present to autograph books and take your pledges

THE ALTERNATIVE PRESS IS ALIVE AND WELL AT THE WBAI AUTHOR'S TABLE

THE 18th ANNUAL WBAI HOLIDAY CRAFTS FAIR

The oldest, largest (not to mention most exciting,) winter crafts marketplace in America will be taking place during the three weekends immediately prior to Christmas (Friday through Sunday, **December 1-3, 8-10 and 15-17. The Fair will be taking place at Columbia University's Ferris Booth Hall, located at 115th Street and Broadway in Manhattan, and is open to the public on Fridays from 5 to 9pm, and from 11am to 6pm on Saturdays and Sundays.** Over 325 craftspersons from around the country will display and sell their own handmade work over the three weeks, and there will be assorted homemade (delicious) foods, deserts and refreshments available. Live entertainment will be featured daily, as well.

Listen to our special programs on the Fair on The WBAI Arts Magazine, 12/4,5,6,7 and 8 at 5:50pm and 12/1,6,8,13 and 15 at 9:30am.

SEE YOU AT THE FAIR!!

WBAI-FM
Pacifica Radio
505 8th Avenue
New York, NY 10018

NON-PROFIT ORG.
U.S. POSTAGE PAID
NEW YORK, NY
PERMIT 5639

ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED

17376M 9912 A NX
MARIAN WALDMAN
45 W 76 ST APT 2A
NEW YORK NY 10023